

BOROUGH OF WESTWOOD

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PRESS RELEASE

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With this weekend's temperature reaching into the upper 90s and heat indices close to 110 degrees, the Borough of Westwood will be opening a cooling center this Saturday and Sunday at our Community Center located at 55 Jefferson Ave. from 10am – 5pm each day.

It is recommended that residents stay indoors if possible from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. when the sun is at its strongest and burns and heat strokes are more likely to occur. All age groups are at risk for heat stroke so please take necessary precautions if you have to be outdoors, including wearing sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and staying properly hydrated.

We also encourage all of our residents to check in on their neighbors and family members who may be vulnerable to these high temperatures, and take steps to keep children and pets well hydrated, rested, and out of the sun.